# **FISCAL NOTE**

# SB 601 - HB 1454

February 27, 2003

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Provides that no medical or health science faculty member or teaching institution would be held liable under any legal theory of vicarious liability, by reason of the supervision of, control over, or relationship with any intern, resident or fellow in a training program of a medical or health science school owned or operated by this state, for any act or omission of any such intern, resident or fellow in the course of such training program.

The bill also provides that no teaching practice would be held liable under any legal theory of vicarious liability by reason of its relationship with any medical or health science faculty member for any act or omission of any intern, resident or fellow in a training program of a medical and health science school owned or operated by the state in the course of a training program.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

## **MINIMAL**

Any government medical or health science teaching institution would already have such immunity from liability; therefore, any impact would only be for privately owned and operated institutions.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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